

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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MASAHIKO KUBOTA ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2861
Application No.: 10/565,658)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 5506
Filed: January 24, 2006)	
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For: LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD)	
MANUFACTURING METHOD, AND	:	
LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD OBTAINED)	
USING THIS METHOD	:	December 12, 2007

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed September 14, 2007, in compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the documents are enclosed.

JP 2004-042650 and JP 2004-046217 were cited in an Office Action in a corresponding Korean patent application, and correspond to US 2004/072107 and US 6,986,980, respectively. The documents may be relevant for the reasons summarized in their corresponding English Abstracts. A copy of the Korean Office Action is enclosed.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)

Each item of information in this information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing date of this Statement.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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